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☒ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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## FEE CALCULATION

### 1. BASIC FILING FEE

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| 1001 740                   | 2001 370                   | Utility filing fee     |          |
| 1002 330                   | 2002 165                   | Design filing fee      |          |
| 1003 510                   | 2003 255                   | Plant filing fee       |          |
| 1004 740                   | 2004 370                   | Reissue filing fee     |          |
| 1005 160                   | 2005 80                    | Provisional filing fee |          |

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### 2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

Total Claims  -20\*\* =  X  =   
Independent Claims  -3\*\* =  X  =   
Multiple Dependent  =

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|----------------------------|----------------------------|--|
| 1202 18                    | 2202 9                     | Claims in excess of 20                                     |
| 1201 84                    | 2201 42                    | Independent claims in excess of 3                          |
| 1203 280                   | 2203 140                   | Multiple dependent claim, if not paid                      |
| 1204 84                    | 2204 42                    | ** Reissue independent claims over original patent         |
| 1205 18                    | 2205 9                     | ** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent |

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| 1051 130                   | 2051 65                    | Surcharge - late filing fee or oath  |          |
| 1052 50                    | 2052 25                    | Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet                     |          |
| 1053 130                   | 130                        | Non-English specification  |          |
| 1812 2,520                 | 2,520                      | For filing a request for <i>ex parte</i> reexamination                     |          |
| 1804 920*                  | 920*                       | Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action                     |          |
| 1805 1,840*                | 1,840*                     | Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action                        |          |
| 1251 110                   | 2251 55                    | Extension for reply within first month                                     | 200.00   |
| 1252 400                   | 2252 200                   | Extension for reply within second month                                    |          |
| 1253 920                   | 2253 460                   | Extension for reply within third month                                     |          |
| 1254 1,440                 | 2254 720                   | Extension for reply within fourth month                                    |          |
| 1255 1,960                 | 2255 980                   | Extension for reply within fifth month                                     |          |
| 1401 320                   | 2401 160                   | Notice of Appeal   |          |
| 1402 320                   | 2402 160                   | Filing a brief in support of an appeal                                     |          |
| 1403 280                   | 2403 140                   | Request for oral hearing   |          |
| 1451 1,510                 | 1,510                      | Petition to institute a public use proceeding                              |          |
| 1452 110                   | 2452 55                    | Petition to revive - unavoidable   |          |
| 1453 1,280                 | 2453 640                   | Petition to revive - unintentional   |          |
| 1501 1,280                 | 2501 640                   | Utility issue fee (or reissue)   |          |
| 1502 460                   | 2503 230                   | Design issue fee   |          |
| 1503 620                   | 2503 310                   | Plant issue fee  |          |
| 1460 130                   | 130                        | Petitions to the Commissioner  |          |
| 1807 850                   | 50                         | Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)  |          |
| 1806 180                   | 180                        | Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt                                  |          |
| 8021 40                    | 40                         | Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties) |          |
| 1809 740                   | 2809 370                   | Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))              |          |
| 1810 740                   | 2810 370                   | For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))           |          |
| 1801 740                   | 2801 370                   | Request for Continued Examination (RCE)                                    |          |
| 1802 900                   | 900                        | Request for expedited examination of a design application                  |          |

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